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## GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

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Serial Nos. 3

Part B for

August. 24

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### SUBJECT

Sanctioning of the Maddurini-  
Hindurpur Road work.

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To

The New Commr

" W.C. Tumbkur Dt

" Chief Engineer.

" Comptroller Genl. Finl Sect.

No 125-8/A 14-23-49 dated 26.8.24

Sanction a Special grant of Rs 8000/-  
for the continuance of the Maddurini-Hindurpur  
Road work

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From.

47.

The Revenue Commissioners  
No D 3 of 2324 dated 13.8.24  
Forwards copies of letter from  
the D. C. Junker S. in  
regard to the distress relief  
measures necessary to be  
continued during the year 1924-25  
I recommend that the  
necessary funds may be sanctioned.  
The Rev. Commr. wants a decision  
on the following points:—  
(1) Sanction to restart such  
of the tank "maintenance"  
works as may be found necessary  
by the D. C. I sanctioning the  
amount required therefor.  
(2) Sanction to a sum of Rs. 100/-  
for restarting the Maddapuri-  
Hindupur Road.  
(3) Continuance of the gratuity

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relief till the next harvest-  
and an <sup>adv</sup>all amount of Rs 500  
for the purpose for the D.H.

(4) Permission to the D.C.  
to sanction subsistence loans  
out of the funds placed at his  
disposal.

Subd for order,

Sanction. Appears true necessary

SMD 16/8

for  
16/8/24

Rw Reep As Phon bus to  
16/8/24

According to the J.O. of 16.8.24  
July last - placed below. May 14, - all  
distress operations have been ordered  
to be stopped by the 15th inst.  
The first question to consider is  
whether this order should be  
reconsidered. There are no grounds  
to modify that order having  
regard to the fact that although  
there was a slight rise in  
the monsoon there has been

5) Range Grant to  
Takaridang,  
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a fair amount of rain fall  
recently - last week's season  
report - sounds a little like  
in the circumstances it appears  
to be an array to sanction  
any grants for this work.

As regards the Madagari - Hindupur  
Road, the present position is that  
a sum of Rs 2000 is available  
out of the grant of 1000 Rs for  
last year. [vide P. W. D. & also 12  
minutes meeting of

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the P. W. D. & also 12

The P. W. D. Engineer wants a further  
sum of Rs 800, to it is a  
point to consider whether  
this should be sanctioned as

a grant from distress fund,  
or met out of the normal  
grants of the P. W. D. on view  
of the fact that the road  
work is in a bad condition

and, & that the work is of

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is of a useful character, the work may be ordered to be continued. As owing to the additional burden thrown on the Dept owing to find the maps, there may be difficulty to find funds, a sum of Rs 8000/- may be given as a special grant, to be applied to Dist. operations.

As regards gratifications relief, the allotment of Rs 200/- already given has not been fully spent. Expenditure should be ordered to be limited to this. It does not appear to be right in principle to continue gratifications relief when dist. operations are closed.

As regards the grant of stipendium loans, the DC may be held responsible for not reviewing the suggestion with regard to that - it should be limited to Rs 1000000 only. In regard to granting <sup>general</sup> loans, permission to start such main line works, it appears to be desirable.

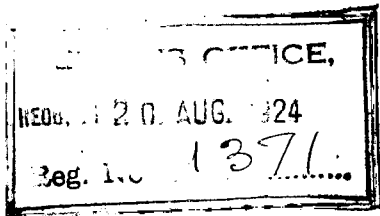
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*to wait & watch the si-  
tuation some time longer.*



*Dewan*

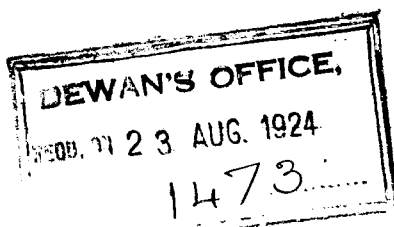
*I have received the  
supplies of the 23  
in the above etc  
Re instructed to see  
that the supplies are  
immediately enclosed  
a draft*

*Draft*

*H. S. S.*

*Two drafts - one for the  
P.H. Road & another letter regarding  
the other points - are subd for  
approval.*

*The file in which the P.C.  
has asked for the continuance of  
the distress relief operations till the  
seasonal conditions show decided  
improvement has been separately filed.  
May the order on that file also be awaited.*



*22/8/24 Draft to app.  
New draft issued  
Dewan*

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Subd with Dft &amp; Fair copies for orders.

Done and then sent to  
Rev Dept for clearing up a  
double. "Debit to Distress  
Relief operations" is not clear.  
If <sup>(which)</sup> the intention to draw upon  
Famine Reserve, it may be made  
clear. Muz 8.9.24

P.S. L.C.'s Sanction is necessary

Muz  
1/9/24

L. J. Campbell

Lt 1335 dated 1.9.24

The ex pre has to be debited  
to the Famine Reserve.

This amount has been included  
in the statement of admt. grants  
sanctioned for distress Relief from  
1.7.24 and for which L.C.'s Sanction  
has to be obtained. A copy of the  
statement will be sent to the Fincl  
sect in a day or two.

NOTE—Contn. sheet

WD 0561—GPB—3750—1-8-22

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4/9/24

Rev. Secy

Muz 8.9.24

I have already explained the position to  
the Fincl Secy in another  
letter.

notes in list  
Muz  
1/9/24.

No. D.3 of 24-25.

Office of the Revenue Commissioner  
in Mysore,  
Bangalore. the 13th August 1924.

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From

K. Chandy, Esquire, B.A.,

Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.

By no. 217

Dis

Dis 16-23-47

K.V. Anantaraman, Esquire, B.A.,

Secretary to the Government of

His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,

Revenue Department, Bangalore.

Sir,

In continuation of my letter No. D.3 of 24-25 dated 9th  
August 1924, I have the honour forward copies of the marginally

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| -----                        | noted communications from the De-  |
| Letter No. O.C. 1840/22-23 ) |                                    |
| dated 9-8-1924. )            | puty Commissioner of Tumkur Dis-   |
| )                            |                                    |
| Memo No. O.C. 1840/22-23 )   | trict regarding the distress con-  |
| dated 9-8-1924 )             |                                    |
| )                            | ditions prevailing particularly in |
| Memo No. O.C. 1840/22-23 )   |                                    |
| dated 8-8-1924. )            | parts of Madduriri, Pavagada and   |
| )                            |                                    |
| letter No. O.C. 1840/22-23 ) | Gubbali Taluks of the District and |
| dated 11-8-1924. )           |                                    |
| -----                        | requesting sanction for the grant  |

of additional sums for gratuitous relief and for starting works  
to provide labour. It is seen therefrom that the rains have held  
off for the past 10 days and the tender crops have been withering.  
The Sub Division Officer of the Madduriri Sub Division has been  
asked to arrange for the starting of the two cart tracks noted in  
===== margin. It is reported that the  
Hoskere - Ittkadibbanahalli )  
Hoskere - Dodvelukere. ) cholam crop, upon which the people  
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in parts of Madduriri Taluk had relied on, has been withering away,  
that the ryots have been feeling very much for their subsistence  
and that without rains no more agriculture is possible. The Exec-  
utive Engineer has therefore been requested to restart some of the  
tank works, which had been stopped and also take up road repairs,  
so that the people of the roadside villages may be provided with

Copy of letter No. O.C.1840 of 22-23 dated 9th August 1924 from the Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur District, to the Executive Engineer, Tumkur Division.

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I have the honour to state that the Sub Division Officer, Maddagiri, reports that the rains having held off for the past 10 ~~year~~ days in the affected parts of the Maddagiri Taluk, the cholam crop upon which the people had relied much has been withering away and they have been feeling very much for their subsistence. Without rains, no more agricultural labour is available. It is therefore necessary to restart some of the tank works which had been stopped and also take up road repairs, which may afford some labour to people in the roadside villages. The Sub Division Officer says that the Maddagiri - Hindupur Road has <sup>(not)</sup> yet been restarted. It is not understood, why this has not yet been taken up again, as decided in the meeting of officers, held on the 24th ultimo, the expenditure being met out of the amount set apart for acquisition purposes. I once more request you to restart the work on my responsibility. I have already written to the Revenue Commissioner for additional funds for the road work.

2. I therefore request that maintenance to some tanks the earth work of which has been done to the extent of half the estimated cost, in the Hoblis of Puravara, Kodigenahalli, Midigesi and Itakibbanahalli may also be kindly taken up immediately and the fact intimated. The amount that would be required to carry on the tank maintenance works may also be intimated.

It is hoped that the road repairs have already been taken up in your Department.

The favour of an early reply is requested.

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M e m o.

Copy of the above is forwarded, with compliments, to the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore, Bangalore, for information.

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"Copy"

*[Signature]*

*[Signature]*  
For Revenue Commissioner  
10/8/24

Immediate D.

Oc. 1840/22-23.

Office of the Deputy Commissioner  
Tumkur District,  
Dated Tumkur the 8th August 1924.

M E M O.

To provide labour to the cooly class in the affected parts of Midigesi and Ittkadibbanahalli<sup>Ka</sup> Hoblis of the Madduriri Taluk where the rains are reported to have been held off for the past 10 days and tender crops are withering, the Sub Division Officer, Madduriri is requested to arrange for the starting of the two cart tracks noted in the margin in the Revenue Department under -----  
Hoskere - Ittkadibbanahalli ) the direct supervision of the  
Hoskere - Dadyalkere )  
----- Amildar and himself treating the  
✓ works as under village Improvement Scheme.

2. Necessary funds sanctioned for the purpose will be transferred to the credit of the Taluk Amildar in due course.

3. In regard to the alignment etc., requiring professional knowledge the Amildar will apply for necessary help to the local D.P.W. Sub Division Officer as the Executive Engineer has kindly promised to render all such help whenever required.

(Sd) Md. Zahiruddin Mecci, .

Deputy Commissioner,  
Tumkur District.

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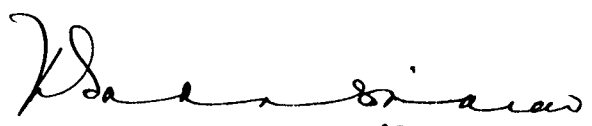
Copy forwarded with compliments to the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore, Bangalore.

(Sd)

For Deputy Commissioner.

Tumkur District.

" C O P Y "

  
For Revenue Commissioner 18/8/24.

Immediate D.

Copy of letter No. O.C.1840 of 22-23 dated the 9th August 1924 from the Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur District, to the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore, Bangalore.

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Adverting to Government Order No.13-22/Dis. dated 8th July 1924 directing that all the relief operations in the District should be stopped by the 15th instant, I have the honour to state that the Amildar of Gubbi Taluk reports that there are 33 persons in receipt of gratuitous relief in the Nittur village of his Taluk and they are mostly destitute panchamas and if this relief is stopped they will be rendered absolutely helpless. The desperate condition of these people was brought to your notice when you last visited Nittur. It is the same case with the panchamas of the Maddagiri Taluk also. Even if all the relief operations have to be stopped by the 15th ~~August~~ instant, yet the grant of gratuitous relief has to be continued till the next harvest. The allotment granted to this district up to 15th August 1924 for the purpose, viz., Rs.200 is quite insufficient to meet the demand. I request therefore that a further sum of Rs.500 may kindly be sanctioned to this District early.

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*[Signature]*  
For Rev. Commissioner  
13/8/24

*[Signature]*

Letter No.O.C..1840/22-23 dated 11th August 1924 from the Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur District to the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.

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In continuation of my letter No.O.C.1840/22-23 dated the 25th July 1924, applying for an allotment of Rs.5000/- for <sup>restarting</sup> ~~restoring~~ the Maddagiri Hindupur Road in the Maddagiri Taluk, to engage the cooly class etc, I have the honour to forward for information a copy of the Tumkur Division Executive Engineer's Memo No.63 dated the 27th July 1924 furnishing details of work to be done to the road during the current year and stating that a sum of Rs.6000/- would be required for expenditure etc, and to request that under the circumstances stated by the Executive Engineer a sum of Rs.6000/- may kindly be sanctioned immediately as people are very badly in need of labour and any further delay does not seem desirable.

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Letter No.----- dated 27th July 1924 from the Executive Engineer, Tumkur Division to the Chief Engineer of Mysore, Bangalore.

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Maddagiri Hindupur Road.

In submitting herewith for kind information a copy of letter No. O.C.1840/22-23 dated 21st instant, from the Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur District stating that if the amount now available for Maddagiri Hindupur Road is exhausted, the Revenue Department will get the necessary funds and that the work may be carried out by amani instead of petty contract<sup>or</sup> to enable the coolies to get the living I have the honour to state that as already reported in this office No.58 dated the 17th instant, nearly Rs.8250/- out of the allotted amount of Rs.10000/- is already utilized and the balance of Rs.1750/- will just suffice for payment of compensation if the same is to be settled this year. Hence specific additional allotment is necessary to restart the work.

1. I have therefore requested the Deputy Commissioner to kindly place a sum of Rs.6000/- at the disposal of this Department to execute the following urgent works and if work is to be carried out by Amani as suggested by the Deputy Commissioner the services of two subordinates

will again be necessary for supervision of work. Further report will be submitted on receipt of the Deputy Commissioner's reply. These works are necessary to prevent damage to road & items of work.

|                                                                                          | Cost Rs.     |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| 1. Forming the road surface                                                              | 250          |
| 2. Consolidation                                                                         | 375          |
| 3. Easing out of the approaches of jungle streams and hallas                             | 100          |
| 4. Embanking for a length 180' in 5/1                                                    | 25           |
| 5. Constructing 3 Irrigation tunnels in 5/3 6/7, and 5/10 (170 plus 430 plus 1178) - 136 | 1650         |
| 6. Gravelling on Doddamallur tank bund (12 furlongs)                                     | 1250         |
| 7. Sanding over embankment of burnt clay soil (8 furlongs)                               | 450          |
| 8. Revetting the sides and bed of check drain and fixing pin slabs at interval of 50'    | 350          |
| 9. Mile and furlong stones (656-166)                                                     | 490          |
| 10. Boundary stones 50                                                                   | 50           |
| 11. Margin stones                                                                        | 135          |
| 12. Finger post (80-15)                                                                  | 65           |
| 13. Establishment charges at 10%                                                         | 510          |
|                                                                                          | <hr/> 5700/= |

In the meeting yesterday (24-7-1924) with the Deputy Commissioner it was suggested and agreed that the compensation amount is not required by the Revenue Department immediately and the amount can be paid later when additional funds are given and 2 that the work can go on by doing it in piece work system by distributing the work to number of contractors as was done for the relief work. No task will be fixed and contractors will pay the coolies wages (an arrangement between the coolies and contractors). In this case it will be treated as ordinary work and no additional establishment is necessary and the Sub Division Officer is instructed to start the work in portions where it is not yet done to provide work for the coolies to an extent of nearly Rs. 2000/-. A further grant of Rs. <sup>2,600</sup>~~600~~ plus Rs. 2000/- (for compensation) for preventing damage to the work already done is urgently required.

No. 65 dated 27/28-7-1924.

Copy of the above is forwarded to the Sub Division Officer No. 2 Sub Division Maddagiri for information. Work to an extent of Rs. 2000/- may be carried out by starting it in portions where it is not yet done and the same carried out by starting it in portions where it is not yet done and the same old contractors will continue in their sections. Estimate should be passed and no classification is necessary.

Sd. V. V. Karve  
Executive Engineer, Tumkur Dn

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Copies of the above are forwarded with compliments to the

SD.V.V.Karve,

Executive Engineer, Tumkur Division.

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Wadsworth

12/8/24.

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue..... 26. 8. 24

To

The Revenue Commr

-in Mysore

Signed by..... Mr. T. N.

Sir,

With reference to your letter no D 3 of 24-25 date the 13<sup>th</sup> August 1924, submitting certain proposals for the continuance of the Distress Relief operations in the Tumkur D.H., I am directed to state that you have in their order no 13-22 dated the 8<sup>th</sup> July 24, directed the continuation of



Memorandum 122-4/8 of 21.8.22

Copy to the Chief Clerk

-in my name, (V) the D.C.S. &  
K. Lee & Zimmmerman D.B.

B.D.

10/22.8.22.

In Review  
from

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SUBJECT.....

Diary No. of letter replied to.....

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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Proceedings of the Government of  
 His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore

Read—

Date of issue.... *26.8.24*Signed by..... *M. V. T. 1 M*

Para 9 of G.O. No. *13-22* / Dis dated the *8th* July 1924 stating that the question of providing a dot. funds for the

*Madagascar* Hindu Temple

~~Order Thereon No.~~

May this be

- i Printed ?
- ii treated as a standing order ?
- iii published in the Gazette, English Part ?
- iv translated ?
- v placed at the disposal of the press ?
- vi published in the Gazette, Kannada Part ?

Road sanctioned in G.O. No. 2 5061-3 / L.B. 35-238 dated the *4th* Feb 1924 will be considered after the sum of Rs 1000.

provided there for during the year 1923-24 is exhausted.

(2). Letter no. 744 dated the 14<sup>th</sup> July 1924 from the Chief Engr. in Mysore reporting that the outlay on the road in question up to end of June 1924 is Rs 8772/-

(3) Letter no. P 30 of 24-25 dated the 13<sup>th</sup> Aug 1924 from the Rev Comm in Mysore requesting, among other matters, sanction to the allotment of a sum of Rs 6000 for <sup>restoring road work</sup> the road to provide labour to the people of the roadside villages in the Maddur Taluk.

List of enclosures.

order no: 125-8/A

In view of the fact that the road work is in a <sup>state of</sup> ~~badly affected~~ <sup>in which there is some</sup> ~~are a~~ <sup>clean and</sup> ~~that the~~ <sup>to be</sup>

work itself is of a useful character, but direct that it may be continued and are accordingly pleased to

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Sanction an allotment special grant of Rs 8000/- (during the year 1924-25) the same being debited to the Distress Relief operations.

WD 1000-GPB-1,000,00-21-12-21

Rev Secy to Govt

The R.C. The C. T. The C. F. The C. M.

# Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS

G. O. No. 13-22/Dis. dated Bangalore, 8th July 1924.

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## Distress Relief operations during 1924-25

Issues orders regarding the conduct of-----

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Read--

The several Government Orders on the subject of the grant of relief in the affected areas in the State during the year 1923-24.

2. Correspondence ending with letter No.D.44/23-24 dated the 3rd July 1924 from the Revenue Commissioner requesting sanction to the grant of additional funds to carry on the relief operations in certain parts of the affected districts from 1st July 1924.

ORDER NO.13-22/DIS. DATED 8TH JULY 1924.

Now that the official year has closed, Government consider it necessary that the question of relief operations initiated and carried out last year in the affected areas of the Bangalore, Kolar and Tumkur Districts should be carefully examined. Judging from the Weekly Seasonal Reports received from the Revenue Commissioner, the rainfall during the past six weeks has, to a considerable extent, obviated the difficulty experienced by the people in the affected districts for fodder and water. The commencement of agricultural operations has afforded employment to the labouring classes and the reports received from the Deputy Commissioners show that the number of coolies employed on relief works is gradually decreasing. It is therefore not necessary to continue the operations on the present scale and Government consider that it would be enough if the works to be continued are strictly limited to areas in which, having regard to local conditions, employment has to be found for the labouring classes for some time longer. All operations connected with distress should be stopped with effect from the 15th of August 1924.

2. In order to ascertain definitely the outlay on account of Distress Relief Operations during the year 1923-24, Government desire that all Heads of Departments entrusted with relief operations, should, before the 23rd of this month, submit to Government information as regards the total grants placed at their disposal, the number of works started by them, the amounts drawn from the Treasury, the disbursements made, and the amounts that lapsed to Government at the end of June last. In compiling this information Heads of Departments should obtain from all disbursing officers, information as to the amounts drawn by them from the Treasury and the payments made by them up to the 30th June 1924.

3. In the case of Tank maintenance works which were started on a large scale to relieve distress, Government consider that incomplete works which have been duly sanctioned and in respect of which nearly half the work has been done must be completed. As the recent rains have brought in a good supply of water to almost all tanks, it is doubtful if any tank maintenance works can be carried out now. If the conditions of any particular tank allow earth work being done at present, which fact must be certified by the Executive Engineer after personal inspection, the maintenance work in respect of that tank may be proceeded with, if there is any demand for labour in its vicinity. The Chief Engineer is requested to submit before the 23rd instant, a list of tank maintenance works which have been started and on which nearly half the estimated amount has been expended till now with particulars of the amounts required to complete them. On receipt of this information, necessary funds will be provided by Government.

4. As regards other relief works such as roads, Village Improvement Works and permanent Well Works (if sanctioned out of Distress Funds), they should be completed so long as they are works sanctioned by proper authority. The funds required for this purpose will, in the first instance, be found out of the grants for these purposes in the current year's budget. In these cases wages should be revised according to the present market conditions. The Revenue Commissioner is requested to submit before the 23rd instant, in consultation with the Chief Engineer, a list of all such works and the total amount that would be required for their completion so that if any additional amounts are required, they may be provided by Government.

5. LOANS:--The Revenue Commissioner requests that an allotment of Rs. 50,000 may be made for granting Takavi Loans in the Kolar and Tumkur Districts in the month of July. In this connection, Government observe that, as regards applications for loans received during the current year, they should, in the first instance, be met out of the grants provided for the purpose in the current year's budget. In regard to loans, in respect of which only partial payment was made during last year, the Revenue Commissioner is requested to forward (before the 23rd instant), an estimate of the amount that will be required during the current year to pay subsequent instalments on account of such partly paid loans. On receipt of this estimate, Government will provide the necessary grant.

6. GRATUITOUS RELIEF:--The Revenue Commissioner recommends an allotment of Rs. 1,000 for Tumkur and Rs. 500 for Kolar for gratuitous relief for three months. A sum of Rs. 200 is sanctioned for each of the Districts for expenditure till the 15th August 1924.

7. RELIEF TO WEAVERS:--A sum of Rs. 2,500 will be placed at the disposal of the Registrar of Co-operative Societies for grant of loans through Co-operative Societies to artisans in the affected areas. The Revenue Commissioner is requested to obtain and furnish information as to the actual amounts disbursed last year under this head up to 30th June 1924.

8. FREE SUPPLY OF SEEDS:--Government do not consider it

necessary to give any free supply of seeds as recommended by the Revenue Commissioner. The relief required may be given by the grant of Takavi Loans.

9. MADDAGIRI--HINDUPUR ROAD:--This road was sanctioned in Government Order dated 4th February 1924. The District Board of Tumkur have to contribute a sum of Rs.5,000 towards the cost of the estimate. This should be recovered at once. Government direct that an equal sum be provided for the purpose from the Distress Funds of last year and that out of this sum of Rs. 10,000 whatever has not been spent during the past year may be expended in continuing the work during the current year. The question of providing additional funds will be considered after that is exhausted. The Chief Engineer is requested to report within a week the sum actually spent on this work till the end of June 1924.

10. GENERAL:--Governmen desire to emphasise the necessity of all officers concerned furnishing the information now called for within the prescribed time.

K. V. ANANTARAMAN,  
*Secretary to Government,  
Revenue Department.*

To--The Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.  
The Chief Engineer in Mysore;  
The Deputy Commissioners of Bangalore, Kolar and Tumkur Districts.  
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.  
The Registrar of Co-operative Societies in Mysore.  
The Director of Agriculture in Mysore.  
The Conservator of Forests in Mysore.